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Applicant: YURY SHAPIRO AND ALEXANDRE RYABOV

Title: FINGERPRINT IMAGING DEVICE WITH FAKE FINGER
DETECTION

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Specification	19
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Abstract	1
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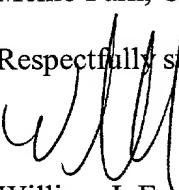
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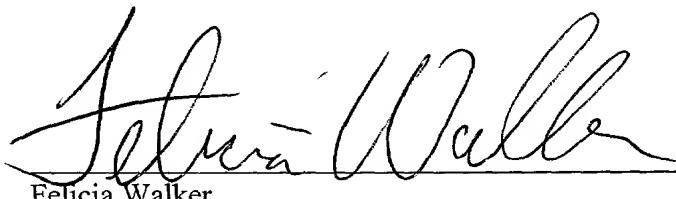
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